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## RAL NEWS.

### Fire.

[illegible] Jan. 15.—A fire at Winona [illegible] several stores. Loss, $65,- [illegible] insurance, $50,000.

### [illegible] Breaking Up.

Jan. 15.—The river is still rising, [illegible] high. The Allegheny at Oil [illegible] with no signs of a break-up. [illegible] Jan. 15.—Rain fell all day. [illegible] in size from a wheelbarrow [illegible] floated down the river the [illegible] noise made by the ice as it [illegible] was much like that heard [illegible] grandeur of the scene was [illegible] of steamboats, dozens of [illegible] and rafts, heaped together, [illegible] ice. The steamer *Bannock* [illegible] and report says a [illegible] also went over. [illegible] very small. At 10 o'clock [illegible] still rising.

### [illegible] vs. Schneider.

[illegible] 15.—Orville L. Grant en- [illegible] court to-day against [illegible] damages in the [illegible] breach of contract. [illegible] in March, 1873, he en- [illegible] with defendant that as [illegible] submitted by defend- [illegible] contain no proposals [illegible] custom house in St. [illegible] that plaintiff was to [illegible] charge of the outside [illegible] the financial affairs of the [illegible] to said contracts with [illegible] he was to receive [illegible] secretary, and ten per [illegible] other contracts plain- [illegible] instrumental in procuring [illegible] the business as agreed, [illegible] the defendant de- [illegible] and has since re- [illegible] part of the amount.

### [illegible] Disaster.

[illegible] An Ashtabula special [illegible] coroner's jury Joseph Tom- [illegible] examined the bridge [illegible] evidence that some [illegible] out of place before [illegible] of them as much as [illegible] the braces should have [illegible] so that this could [illegible]

[illegible] thus far has [illegible] From all quar- [illegible] detention [illegible] property [illegible] it is raining. [illegible] locomo- [illegible] change apparent.

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[illegible] passenger and ex- [illegible] from one [illegible] have been [illegible] usual time. [illegible] snow still falling; [illegible] now on the [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] The deficiency [illegible] $100,000 to $130,-

[illegible] decline in West- [illegible] by some to [illegible] and by others to [illegible] the market in con- [illegible] of rates yesterday.

[illegible] The governor to-day [illegible] for a requi- [illegible] A. Bigler, late [illegible] of this city, [illegible] ground that an [illegible] the criminal [illegible] of civil liability.

[illegible]

[illegible] Col. Pelton said last [illegible]

was obliged to leave, and desired Pelton to be present to-morrow, when he will be examined further.

## WASHINGTON CITY.

### Further Petition for Geneva Money.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Sargent in presenting to the Senate the San Francisco petition to-day, called especial attention to it as follows: "I hold in my hand a petition signed by a considerable number of leading merchants of San Francisco, many of whose signatures I recognize, and I know to be of large business and strong financial standing, who suffered losses during the late rebellion by reason of depredations of Confederate cruisers on the high seas. They state that the bill which passed the House of Representatives on the 6th July last, would enable them to present their claims before the competent tribunal, and they ask favorable consideration of that bill by the Senate. It is very seldom that a petition is presented which contains the names of so many men of high character who are directly interested in the subject matter of the petition. I move its reference to the committee on judiciary, and I trust the committee will give their earnest attention to the subject and due weight to this important petition." The motion was agreed to. The petition is signed by Wm. T. Coleman & Co., Macondray & Co., Koehler & Frohling, Schottle & Bros., V. Walman, Peck & Co., Estate of Thomas H. Selby, San Francisco & Pacific Sugar Refinery Co., Spring Valley Water Co., Lazard Freeres, Whittier, Fuller & Co., Treadwell & Co., Sachs & Co., Wm. Alvord & Co., Main & Winchester, and about 100 other prominent firms and corporations. Sargent intends privately to urge its attention to the committee at the earliest possible date, and will publicly advocate the bill when reported to the Senate. He is now working night and day in preparation of a report on the Florida investigation, which he believes will show beyond controversy that Florida was fairly carried by Hayes and Wheeler.

### Wheeler in the House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Hon. W. A. Wheeler occupied his seat in the House to-day, for the first time during the present session. He also met with the committee on appropriations. He received marked attention from his former associates. He leaves for his home to-morrow.

### Proposals for Alabama Bonds.

Under provisions of the act of Congress to enable the Secretary of the Treasury to pay judgments of commissioners of Alabama claims, the Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that sealed proposals will be received at the treasury department until noon of 22d instant, and opened immediately thereafter, for sale of 5 per cent. coupon or registered bonds of the funded loan of 1881, authorized by the acts of July 14, 1870, and January 20, 1871, bearing interest payable quarterly from February 1, 1877, in lots of not less than $100,000, to the total amount of $307,000. These bonds will be sold for gold, and payment therefor must be made within three days after acceptance by the department of the bid. Each bid must be accompanied by a gold deposit of 12 per cent. of the amount thereof, and no bid at less than par in coin will be considered. Payment may be made at the office of the assistant treasurer of the United States, New York, and bonds will be delivered at the treasury in Washington, or if preferred, at the office of the assistant treasurer of the United States, New York, at expense of purchaser.

### Washington Police Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The committee investigating the police board to-night examined Wm. Murtagh, president of the board. He denied all statements made by Major Richards and detectives except the Whitthorne matter. In this he explained that learning that a report of the naval committee was likely to injure himself, and hearing that Whitthorne was a man of loose habits, he requested Maj. Richards to have Whitthorne watched, in order to expose him if it was found he visited houses of ill-repute. He stated also that Secretary Robeson knew nothing of the matter.

### Chapman in Trouble.

Senator Windom's personal explanation to-day was a remarkably bold and thoroughly successful exposure of an ingeniously planned attempt of H. I. Chapman to levy blackmail upon his Senatorial influence. It resulted not only in the complete vindication of Windom, but in placing on Chapman the unanimous condemnation of the Senate as a person unworthy of the slightest respect or credence.

### Heavy Money Shipment.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The committee of treasury clerks who had been specially detailed to convey funds to San Francisco and return, reached here yesterday with about five million dollars from the assistant treasurer at San Francisco, of which two and a half million is in mutilated legal tenders, fractional currency and national bank and national gold bank notes. The paper money will be destroyed, the legal tenders and fractional currency to be replaced by other legal tenders, and silver and the national bank gold notes placed on account of redemption of the circulation of banks.

### Supreme Court Decision.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The following decision was rendered in the U. S. Supreme court: Wiggins against the People of the United States in Utah Territory. Error to Supreme court of Utah Territory. It is there held that a writ of error from the circuit court to the Supreme court of the Territory is allowed by section three of the act of June 23d, 1874, in a conviction for bigamy or polygamy or sentence of death for any crime; that in a trial for homicide, when the question whether the prisoner or deceased commenced the encounter which resulted in death is in any manner of doubt, it is competent to prove threats of violence against the prisoner made by deceased, though not brought to the knowledge of prisoner; reversed. Justice Miller delivered the opinion. Dissenting, Justice Clifford.

### A Heavy Deficiency.

The late Major General John P. Barkson's accounts show a defalcation or deficiency amounting to $150,000.

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President Lincoln's idea of the best policy to be pursued toward the Southern States may be inferred from the following letter which will be found on page 480 of Raymond's Life of Lincoln:

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
WASHINGTON, November 27, 1862.

HON. GEO. F. SHEPLEY, Military Governor of Louisiana—*Dear Sir:* Dr. Kennedy, bearer of this, has some apprehensions that federal officers, not citizens of Louisiana, may set up as candidates for Congress in that State. In my view there could be no possible object in such an election. We do not particularly need members of Congress from those States to enable us to get along with legislation here. What we do want is the conclusive evidence that respectable citizens of Louisiana are willing to be members of Congress and to swear to support the constitution, and that other respectable citizens are willing to vote for them and send them. To send a parcel of Northern men here as Representatives, elected, as would be understood (and perhaps really so), at the point of the bayonet, would be disgraceful and outrageous; and were I a member of Congress here, I would vote against admitting any such man to a seat.

Yours, very truly,
A. LINCOLN.

## MEXICO.

### Peg One for Diaz.

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Jan. 16.—Gen. Diaz failed to effect a compromise with Inglesias. He attacked the forces of Inglesias on the Guana Justo, commanded by Gen. Antillon on the 3d inst., and Antillon was defeated and surrendered his army and all material of war to Gen. Ignacio Martinez. Inglesias has asked to be allowed to return to private life. Gen. Jurozo supported Lerdo until November 30th, then surrendered over 5,000 men and a large amount of war material, and retired to his ranche. He was afterwards arrested, tried, condemned and shot on the 12th inst.

## POLITICAL.

### Alabama Election Investigation.

MONGOMERY, Jan. 15.—W. H. Betts is here as deputy sergeant at arms of the U. S. Senate, summoning persons to Washington to testify about Alabama elections.

### The Mississippi Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The investigation committee having obtained leave to sit during session of the Senate, continued investigation in regard to conduct of the late election in Mississippi. Judge Geo. L. Swan, clerk of the U. S. Circuit Court and District Court for the Southern district of Mississippi, was examined by Senator Mitchell. He testified that personally he saw no intimidation of voters, but he had often been appealed to by colored men about the time of the last election, who came to him and complained that they were not allowed to vote. Others complained they were unable to register, because they could not give the exact geographical location of their place of residence in the election district in which they lived. He referred all persons who came to him to the U. S. District Attorney, but those who made complaint were generally unwilling to go into the courts and testify for fear of being thrown out of employment or having bodily harm done them by their political opponents. Witness stated one of the frauds practiced upon ignorant voters at the late election by the Democrats was to give out Democratic tickets with a likeness of Hayes and Wheeler on them.

### The Cold Shoulder.

The *Union*, the new Democratic organ, edited by Montgomery Blair, comments on Watterson's proposition for the assemblage of 100,000 peaceful Democrats in Washington on the 14th of February to demand a fair count, and gives the project a cold shoulder, saying it finds few advocates among Democrats here.

### Kentuckians Arming.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—The *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says a representative has a letter from Kentucky, saying Democrats are following Henry Watterson's advice, and already 10,000 of them are organized to come to Washington February 14th, to be on hand in case of need when the votes are counted.

### The Lottery Scheme.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The *Sun* accepts the probability that the joint Congressional committee on counting the electoral vote will report in favor of a tribunal of five Senators and five Representatives, from which one member shall be dropped by lot; the remainder, in conjunction with four supreme court judges, to determine irrevocably all issues in counting the electoral vote on which both houses of Congress may fail to agree. The *Sun* opposes the scheme as one with which the country will not be satisfied; the element of chance should not enter into the settlement of this question; besides, canvassing electoral votes is not the proper functions of the supreme court. The *World* also throws cold water on the scheme.

### The Smart Congressman of Chicago.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The *Times'* Washington special says Caulfield's bill in the House to-day, caused much surprise on both sides. Most Democrats would gladly have voted it down with a shout, but the Republicans insisted upon the yeas and nays. Ninety-seven Democrats, mostly from the Southern States, recorded themselves for suspending the Constitution, and there were ninety votes against it. In justice to members of the judiciary committee, of which Caulfield is a member, it should be stated that Barney has not made the Constitution of the United States a special study, and was not aware of the fact that the instrument makes the President of the United States commander in chief of the army and navy, and that the Constitution cannot be suspended by the House of Representatives.

### A Call for the Democratic National Committee.

A call has been issued to-day by Hewitt to the members of the Democratic executive committee, calling a meeting of that body to consider a summons to the national committee, with a view of calling the committee together. The meeting will be held Thursday, at eight o'clock at Hewitt's residence in this city, and will transact such other business as may come before it.

### McCormick's Testimony.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—McCormick, before the committee on the powers and duties of the House in counting the electoral vote, testified: Had some knowledge of money having been raised for legitimate purposes of the campaign. There was a joint circular sent forth by the National Republican and Congressional Republican committees, but the details of assessment were managed by the latter. Not a dollar came into the hands of the national committee; did not know of any circular having been issued requiring officeholders to contribute money.

### The Committees on the Electoral Count Report To-day.

The Senate and House committees on the electoral count, in joint session, this morning, did not arrive at a conclusion, but made such progress towards one that another conference will result in a satisfactory agreement. Members say, however, it is by no means certain this expectation will be realized, but if to-morrow's session should fail to bring them into harmony on some plan for settling the questions at issue, they will hold no other conference. It is the present understanding that in either event the committees will report to their respective houses to-morrow. It is intimated the compromise measure which has been substantially agreed upon will prove a surprise to the public, as it embraces features that have not yet been conjectured by persons outside the committees.

### Hewitt's Unfounded Charge.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—The *Journal's* special says Cox's committee will report Hewitt's charges against the New York postoffice unfounded, and that the elections in New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City and Philadelphia were fairly conducted under the Davenport plan.

### Will Not Resign.

Senator Ferry flatly denies that he will resign the presidency of the Senate.

### Massachusetts Senatorial Contest.

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—The Democratic legislative caucus nominated, by acclamation, Judge J. G. Abbott, for U. S. Senator.

BOSTON, Jan. 16.—On the first ballot for U. S. Senator, In the Senate, Boutwell 17, Hoar 12, Abbott 7, Rice 4. In the House, Boutwell 73, Hoar 76, Abbott 55, Rice 15, Bullock 5, Seelye 4, Charles Adams, Jr., 1, H. L. Pierce 2, Sanford 2. Second ballot was nearly identical and the joint convention will be held to-morrow.

### Minnesota Senatorial Contest.

ST. PAUL, Jan 16.—The Democratic legislative caucus nominated Mort. Wilkinson for U. S. Senator.

### Senator Windom Re-elected.

ST. PAUL, Min., Jan. 16.—Hon. Wm. Windom was, to day elected to the U. S. Senate for six years, beginning March 4th next.

### Illinois Senatorship.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 16.—This morning in the House Morrison nominated John A. Logan as candidate for U. S. Senator. Crooke and others seconded the nomination. Herrington nominated Governor John M. Palmer. Herron, in behalf of the House of Independents, nominated Judge David Davis. In the Senate Logan and Palmer were nominated, and also Gen. Anderson, by the Independents. The first informal ballot resulted in the House, Logan 77, Palmer 67, Davis 7, Lathrop 1. In the Senate, Logan 20, Palmer 22, Anderson 7, Washburne 1—Haines not voting.

### Logan Probably Victorious.

Later—The Speaker declared that Logan, having a majority of all votes in the House, was the choice of the House for Senator. Both houses meet in joint ballot to-morrow, when Logan expects more votes.

### Blaine Elected.

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 16.—Jas. G. Blaine has been elected U. S. senator for the long and short term.

### The Vote for Blaine.

AUGUSTA, Jan. 16.—The vote for U. S. Senator, both for the short and long terms, was taken to-day in the Maine Legislature and was precisely the same in both cases. In the Senate, Blaine had 26 and Haines 2. In the House, Blaine had 113, and Haines 31—a strict party vote in both branches.

### Saulsbury Renominated.

DOVER, Del., Jan. 15.—Eli Saulsbury was renominated for U. S. Senator by acclamation in caucus to-night.

## LOUISIANA.

### House Investigation.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 15.—Before the House committee, Stuart, of Vernon, testified to the changes made by the returning board in the returns, and that the affidavits of Tom Brown and Sam Carter, that 150 colored voters were deterred from voting, are untrue; that there were only 67 colored voters in the parish, and that neither of the affiants lived there.

Bishop Wilmer testified to the peaceful relations between the races, so far as he had seen in his visitations.

Ex-Chief Justice Manning testified as to the bad character of ex Gov. Wells.

### Requisition for Troops.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—Gov. Packard to-day made official requisition upon General Auger for assistance to reinstate the supreme court in the building from which they have been dispossessed. It is supposed Auger referred the matter to the authorities at Washington for instructions.

### Nichols on a Recount of the Electoral Vote.

Gov. Nichols, of Louisiana, telegraphs Representative Gibson as follows: "I am informed that apprehensions exist that a recount of the electoral vote is to be made here under mandate of my Supreme Court, and have, therefore, dispatched the President that no such intention had been entertained; but that the question touching the vote must be made by Congress."

### Bankers Sustain Nichols.

A number of bankers telegraphed President Grant to-day in relation to Nichols' Legislature, showing that the Senate had a quorum of members about whose membership there was no contest.

### Democratic Reinforcements.

The Nichols' police at the courthouse and stations have been reinforced to-night, to prevent the recapture of those places, but there is no indication of any aggressive movements at the State house.

### Concluded their Labors.

It is probable the Senate committee will conclude their labors on Friday.

### Democratic Views from New Orleans.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The *World's* New Orleans special says: If Packard makes an attempt to carry out his threats, his forces will be routed, but it is scarcely conceivable he can organize a body of men for the purpose. He might get together 1,000 men of all sorts, but it is not believed they will move forward to attack in the face of the determined attitude of the population. Packard thought that the legal legislature, police and militia would disperse on the publication of his proclamation, but of this there is not the slightest prospect. The legislature and courts are now in session. Everybody says Grant's interference to settle the contested judiciary case is as violently and conspicuously illegal as his invasion of the Legislature in 1875.

### Grant Gives them Hope.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—The Democrats are still hopeful, while the Republicans claim that the President's dispatch to Gen. Auger foreshadows early recognition of the Packard's government.

### Packard's Recognition.

The *Journal's* Washington special says the President had been desirous of recognizing Packard's government for a long time, but delayed doing so until yesterday, when he had received all data in official form. No cabinet meeting was called, but the President acted thus simply because he believed Louisiana matters were fast drifting into a state of anarchy. It is believed his orders to Gen. Auger will enable Packard to maintain himself as the legal Governor.

### Bitter Feeling against Grant.

The *Times'* Washington special says the Southern members, especially Democratic Representatives from Louisiana, denounce the President in unmeasured terms, and declare his action arbitrary and unjust; some of the more violent among them, say that even if troops do interfere, they will be unable to keep Packard in power. They openly threaten if Nichols is not allowed to continue his bogus administration as he has commenced, the Packard government will be overthrown in spite of the troops, and the Republican legislature broken up, though it be necessary to fire on the flag to attain that end. They are determined, they say, to have a military government rather than Packard.

The *Times'* Washington special says telegrams which the House committee on Florida got hold of relating to Chandler, are mostly bogus and made to order.

### The Herald's Views.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The *Herald's* Washington special says that the fear that the Nichols government, if it should prevail, would undertake to recanvass the electoral vote, moved the Republican leaders here to extraordinary exertions in behalf of Packard, and it is probable the administration will try to keep the Packard government in existence at least until after the electoral vote is counted. After that, it is an open secret here, leading Republicans will let Packard take care of himself, for they are heartily tired of maintaining Southern State governments by Federal interference. It is noticed here since the Democrats declared South Carolina to have gone for Hayes, there is very little Republican sympathy for Chamberlain.

### Administration Blocked.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 16.—Sheriff Handy refuses to recognize the writs of habeas corpus issued by Judge Shaw for assistant sergeants-at-arms for the Republican Senate who are in the parish prison.

### A Sop for the Negroes.

In the Democratic House to-day a joint resolution was passed unanimously to the effect that the policy of kindness, fair and equitable treatment towards the colored people of the State announced by Gov. Nichols, in his Baton Rouge speech and letter to Pinchback on the 12th, is endorsed and will be strictly adhered to by the Legislature.

### A Cabinet Meeting.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—There is a full cabinet session to day. The military authorities seem convinced that their power is sufficient to compel instant peace in New Orleans should disorderly proceedings manifest themselves, if moral force illustrated by the presence of troops does not prevent any uprising whatever.

### The President's Instructions to General Auger.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The President to-day read telegrams from Gen. Auger, conveying information that Gov. Packard had applied to him for assistance to reinstate the Supreme court in the building of which they had been dispossessed, and to therewith enforce Packard's proclamation, and that he had informed Packard he did not understand his instructions as authorizing the use of troops for any such purpose, but he had referred the matter to the President. The President replied to General Auger that his understanding of his instructions was correct, and that the forces under his command are not to be used except to prevent a breach of the public peace by either of the opposing political parties.

### Grant's Last Indecent Appointment.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The *World's* special from Washington says that Grant was fully acquainted of Murtagh's plot when he reappointed him.

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A remonstrance signed by 867 persons, mostly residents of [illegible] county, has been received at the Governor's office against commuting the death penalty of W. K. Neil to imprisonment for life.

## THE POLITICAL TELEGRAMS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.

Mr. A. Cancery, stenographer of the National Republican committee, being recalled, referred to his shorthand notes, reading from them original drafts of telegrams sent to Florida as follows:

NEW YORK, Nov. 8th.

GOV. STEARNS, Tallahassee, Fla.: Great importance is attached to the electoral vote of your State and we invite your most careful supervision of all the officials receiving, counting, returning and canvassing the votes of every locality.

This dispatch was signed by either Zach Chandler or W. E. Chandler.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8th.

GEN. MARTIN, Tallahassee: We are absolutely certain of 185 votes for Hayes if your State is safe, and Wilson is sure of the rest. Can you certainly defeat all Democratic attempts by fraud, false counting or bribery, to capture it? Answer when sure. (Signed) Z. CHANDLER.

A copy of the above dispatch was sent to D. B. Packard, New Orleans; Governor D. H. Chamberlain, Columbia, S. C.; Senator John H. Mitchell, Portland, Oregon, and Geo. C. Gorham, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.

GEN. MARTIN—If your State has gone for Hayes the Democrats will leave nothing undone to take it from us. All may depend on your vigilance; be on guard everywhere. You must watch and get in and announce the true returns from every locality without delay; spare no pains, no proper expense; carry these points; keep me advised and telegraph me your exact majority soon as possible.

This was signed either by Z. Chandler or W. E. Chandler, having been dictated by the latter.

On the 8th of November the following dispatch was addressed to both Senator Conover and Representative Purman: "See my dispatch to Martin; use the utmost diligence and vigilance."

The following dispatch was sent to Thos. B. Keogh, chairman of Republican State central committee of North Carolina, signed and dictated by W. E. Chandler:

NEW YORK, Nov 8.

Two friends of yours leave here at three o'clock this P. M. Meet them at the depot at Raleigh.

Another telegram was sent to the same party, as follows: "Don't give up your State until the remotest returns come in. Hayes is elected by one majority if we have carried Florida, Oregon and Louisiana. Meet your friends at the depot."

On the same day a letter was written by W. E. Chandler to Thos. B. Keogh, Raleigh, N. C., as follows: "At this hour of writing it looks as if 185 votes have been given to Hayes, counting Louisiana, Florida and Oregon, but not North Carolina, and we trust the latter will turn out, when the returns are all in, to have gone for Hayes. If, however, it has not, and the State is close, and there has been intimidation or fraud on the part of the Democrats, we trust that your Republican governor will not give any certificate to electors. The governor of Oregon is a Democrat, while North Carolina is the only close State necessary to the Democrats where we have a Republican governor. They must not be allowed fairer play in North Carolina than we get in Oregon. This is important and confidential." It was signed W. E. Chandler.

The following telegram was addressed to Geo. C. Gorham, San Francisco, November 8th: "Have Oregon Republicans use the utmost diligence to watch and get in and have announced the vote from every locality. The Democrats will press Grover; hence the importance of no delay in establishing the result. You had better go to Oregon."

The above was dictated by Wm. E. Chandler and probably signed by him, though it may have been signed by Z. Chandler.

The following telegram was also sent to Gorham on the same day: "Democrats getting desperate, they will stop at nothing to wrest the victory from us. Important that you go at once to Oregon."

The following telegram, addressed to Attorney General Williams, Washington: "November —; Oregon reported Republican, and will elect Hayes, telegraph several citizens of integrity in Oregon to watch and get in and have announced the vote from every locality. We have telegraphed Mitchell. The Democrats will press Grover upon the importance of delay in establishing the result."

Witness could not say whether this telegram was signed by W. E. Chandler. Witness was at Tallahassee, Fla., and on the 12th of November, addressed to Z. Chandler the following telegram: "Gov. Stearns and Congressman Purman—Telegraph from a point in Georgia that the operator in Tallahassee, Fla. has iniquitously withheld and disclosed all dispatches from them and asked his removal. Sent message to Orton, who acted promptly. Will you advise Stearns." MACCANEY.

The committee adjourned until to-morrow.

The Chandler telegrams were sent to-day, and from an inspection of the copies of all telegrams it appears that the only one signed by Z. Chandler was that to General Martin, given together with duplicates. The others were signed by Wm. E. Chandler.

Cancery stated that the telegrams and letters which he read from his stenographic notes, were the only ones in his book sent by the committee to any person after election.

### Contempt in Prospect.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The House judiciary committee to day decided to report that the answer of the Louisiana returning board to the Morton committee is insufficient, and will recommend that the members of the board be ordered to appear at the bar of the House and show why they should not be compelled to produce the original papers called for, or else be committed for contempt.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Wm. Orton, President of the W. U. T. Co., has been subpenaed as a member of the executive committee on an omnibus subpena, which includes all members thereof, to appear before the committee of privileges and elections of the Senate.

## BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

### Postal Union.

BERNE, Jan. 16.—Brazil, the Dutch and Spanish colonies of Ceylon, and some other British colonies, have joined the postal union. The Portuguese colonies of Hongkong, Japan and the Argentine Republic have signified their desire to enter the union.

### Alarming Reports from South Africa.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—A dispatch dated Cape Town, Africa, Dec. 27th, via Madeira, says: Alarming news is received from Zululand. The Zulu king, Cettegwayo, refuses to permit the occupation, by the British troops of the territory which is in dispute between himself and the Transvaal Republic. He has returned unopened a letter sent him by the British envoy, and has assembled 8,000 warriors in the disputed territory.

### Italian Political Telegrams.

The *Times'* dispatch from Rome reports dissensions have broken out in the Italian cabinet. Baron Nicotera, minister of the Interior, insists upon maintaining censorship of all political press telegrams. His colleagues dissent and a modification of the cabinet may result.

### Bank of England.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day, £256,000.

### Change of Ministers.

PARIS, Jan. 16.—Bartholdi will shortly be replaced at Washington by Max Outrey minister to Japan. Bartholdi will return to Paris to fill an important part in the ministry of foreign affairs.

### Diplomatic.

PARIS, Jan. 16.—M. Marx Outrey has been appointed minister of France to the United States.

M. De Marcene, minister of Interior, has been chosen president of the group of the Left Center.

ATHENS, Jan. 16.—J. Meredeth Reed, American minister, had audience with the King to-day.

## CANADA.

### A Rowist.

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—Edward Hanlon, oarsman, will accept the challenge of Boyd, of Newcastle on Tyne, to row here in the spring for £2,500 a side. He will also row Scharff, of Pittsburg, and Wallace Ross, of New Brunswick.

## CONGRESSIONAL.

### Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.

Patterson presented the petition of D. H. Chamberlain, F. L. Cardozo and others of South Carolina, and said he would not ask that it be read, but moved it be printed in the *Record*.

A[illegible] objected to printing without reading.

The petition was then read and ordered printed. It declares that many statements in the late petition of Wade Hampton and others, recently presented in the Senate, are untrue and incorrect. The petitioners review at great length the condition of South Carolina affairs, and claim they were legally elected.

Sherman, from finance committee, reported back [illegible] bill authorizing the coining of standard silver dollars and restoring its legal tender character; placed on calendar. In reporting the bill Sherman said the Senate, having yesterday extended time for the silver commission to submit a report, the committee thought it inadvisable to pass this bill now. When the bill was considered he would submit a substitute authorizing the coinage of silver dollars weighing 412½ grains standard silver, to be a legal tender the same as U. S. notes, and to be issued in redemption of U. S. notes on demand of holders; and the U. S. notes redeemed under this act shall be cancelled and held to the credit of the sinking funds provided by the law; interest to be computed thereon as in case of bonds redeemed. The second section authorizes the President to appoint three commissioners to attend any international convention on the subject of relative values substituted; ordered printed.

Al[illegible] submitted a resolution calling on the President to transmit to the Senate, with [illegible] any correspondence with U. S. officers diplomatic in Turkey, or any information about the Turkish war; agreed to.

Patterson submitted a resolution recognizing the Chamberlain government in South Carolina; referred to election committee.

The Senate [illegible] resolution for the appointment of a commission, [illegible] instructions, [illegible] the relative value of gold and silver, was considered and tabled, 126 to [illegible]

After the morning hour [illegible] called up the President's message about the occupation of Petersburg, [illegible] spoke at length on the subject.

Johnston quoted from [illegible] showing [illegible] unlike other southern states, and was at peace. Johnston held this was [illegible] lived [illegible] her harmoniously, and the President has no right to send troops there because there had been a street fight at a previous election. [illegible]

[illegible]

### House.

[illegible]

Garfield—Those who went to Louisiana, went as invited witnesses, and the Democratic committee asked them to join them in helping to secure a count of the votes actually cast. The Republicans answered they were by no means there to direct anybody in Louisiana to violate the State laws.

Davis asked by what authority the President invited them there.

Garfield said he went by authority which allows an American citizen to travel anywhere in the country.

Davis asked why for four years the Republican party had thrown out the electoral vote of seven States? [Confusion.]

Hoar said it was only within two months the practice of interrupting the proceedings by applause in the galleries [illegible] and asked the speaker, before exciting matters would be presented, to enforce the rule rigidly, and have it understood that any member who applauds is disorderly, and if it happens in the galleries that they will be cleared.

The Speaker coincided with the suggestion, but objected to the assertion that the practice had grown up within two months.

Hoar withdrew the remark absolutely.

A resolution [illegible]

Garfield expressed a hope [illegible] to inquire into that fraud without violating the constitution. [illegible]

The previous question was seconded, and the resolution went over till to-morrow.

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## PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

### CALIFORNIA.

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**The Daily Oregonian.**

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JAN. 17, 1877.

## THE FUTURE OF THE INDIANS.

The most interesting of all the interesting documents that have grown of recent agitations on the subject of the relations between the government and the Indian tribes, is that just presented by Commissioner Smith. He thinks the entire Indian system needs reorganizing, an opinion in which most people who look at both sides of social and political questions will, we think, agree with him. For want, he says, of a settled policy, looking to the conversion of the Indians into citizens amenable to the laws of the country, over $1,000,000,000 have been expended since the foundation of the government in fighting them and in hiring them not to fight; and more lives have been lost in wars with them than in any foreign war in which the nation has been engaged. The present Sioux war alone will probably cost in the neighborhood of $15,000,000. Between $5,000,000 and $6,000,000 a year are now expended in taking care of the Indians, or, in other words, in coaxing them to be peaceable. There are over 100 reservations, including an area of about 100,000,000 acres of land, a territory inside the United States four times as large as the State of Ohio, over which neither the laws of the United States nor of any State or Territory extend to protect or punish the Indians. Their only semblance of law is their petty and barbarous tribal regulations. The boundaries of these reservations are of immense extent, and it is impossible to guard them so as to prevent the intrusion of whites, who sell bad whisky and good weapons to the savages. Experience has shown the utter impossibility of making these boundaries anything more than imaginary barriers [illegible] the Indians. The reservations are the [illegible] of bad white men, who marry Indian women and often become more savage than the savages themselves. The white settlers around the reservations are always strongly prejudiced against the Indians, and there is a constant condition of irritation, amounting to a state of open hostility, existing between the two.

No remedy can be found for this under the present system. The first thing to be done toward a permanent and lasting settlement of the vexatious Indian question is to extend the laws of the United States over all the tribes, and break up entirely the tribal system of government. Courts should be established to punish crimes committed on the reservations, whether by whites or Indians, and the Indians should be taught that they are subject to the penalties of the law and are at the [illegible]

When this step has been taken, the next should be to concentrate all the tribes upon three or four great reservations. This could not be done at once; it would be an affair of years. [illegible] does not believe in using force to accomplish this important object, but thinks that in the course of ten years, with an appropriation of $200,000 [illegible] annually applicable to this purpose, all the tribes could be persuaded to move. The principal reservation should be in the [illegible] part of the present Indian Territory, adjoining the State of Arkansas. The Indian Territory contains about 70,000 square miles of land, and its present population is composed of about [illegible] Indians. It would be feasible to collect here about 125,000 in addition to the present population. Allowing eighty acres of land per capita to all the Indians now in the Territory, and to all those who should be brought there, there would still remain a very large area of unoccupied land to be opened to white settlement. It is proposed to compensate the present semi-civilized tribes occupying the Territory for the cession of the lands which they now hold in common, and to induce them to accept the new system of land tenure in severalty, conveyed by patents inalienable from the families of the Indians receiving them for a period of at least 50 years. A simple form of territorial government should be extended over this Territory, and white men excluded from it, except government agents, licensed traders, and other employes, and such men as are necessary to protect the railroads running through this country.

The chief opposition which this plan meets with is on account of the contemplated use of the eastern part of the Indian Territory for the principal reservation. This section contains the best land not occupied by white settlers to be found anywhere in the United States. It is only 400 or 500 miles from the seaport of Galveston, and is about the same distance from St. Louis. The people of Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, and Texas are exceedingly desirous of having the Indians now occupying it pushed further westward, in order that the country may be opened to white settlers. They know that it is capable of supporting a dense and wealthy population, and that its settlement would greatly conduce to the prosperity of the surrounding States, of the great cities that are ready to reach out to secure its productions for their markets, and of the railroad companies whose lines run through the region or are soon to be extended into it. A powerful influence will therefore always exist in Congress against any plan for dealing with the Indians which proposes to settle a large body of them in perpetuity within the limits of this Territory, and yet it is the only place under control of the government that is perfectly adapted to such a purpose. The fertility of the lands, the mildness of the climate, and the presence already of a considerable number of civilized or partially civilized Indians, who have an inalienable right to a continued residence there, combine to make it an exceedingly desirable location upon which to carry out a wise and humane system of gradually bringing a large body of savages within the pale of law and civilization.

A young man who has just been discharged from the navy after three years' service on the Franklin, says that on his way over from Spain, Tweed played cards with the officers every morning till midnight and gave them [illegible]

## STOLEN PROPERTY RECLAIMED.

Among the "Art Items" in the San Francisco *Alta*, of the 5th instant, we find the following:

> We notice also a painting of "A Rustic Cottage," by Thaddeus Welch, a young San Franciscan, who has lately taken two gold medals for excellence in drawing and painting. The progress of this young artist is remarkable, he having only been abroad three years, and is now painting pictures that are attracting the attention of connoisseurs and critics throughout the world. This painting is remarkable for its purity of tone and freedom of drawing, the aerial perspective is something really wonderful. The subject chosen by the artist is one of extreme simplicity, and suggestive of quietude and tranquility. Two peasant children playing on the doorstep, a woman drawing water from an old-fashioned well, some geese swimming placidly on the crystal surface of the pond, make up the picture. San Francisco may well feel proud of her young artists, when the results are so apparent as in this case.

From other sources we have received, at different times, equally flattering notices of the work of this distinguished young artist. As a landscape painter he already takes rank amongst the acknowledged children of genius. But it is not solely for the pleasure of recording his achievements that we call special attention to the above paragraph, but for the purpose of reclaiming property stolen from Oregon. "A young San Franciscan!" "San Francisco may well feel proud!" San Francisco be blanked! Thaddeus Welch is no more a San Francisco boy than Julius Cæsar was a San Francisco man. He is an Oregon boy, a Yamhill county boy, reared near the town of McMinnville and educated at the academy there. We recollect as distinctly as if it had been but yesterday, how he used seventeen years ago to come into class room to recite, the smallest boy in his class, but generally the foremost in his recitations. Thad. was as bright as a coin just from the mint, and as good as he was bright. He is and is to be a great landscape painter, because his mind was saturated in his boyhood and youth with the influence of the rich and varied scenery of Oregon, not dwarfed by the sand-hills, thread-bare knobs and arid plains of California. He stopped a while in San Francisco on his way to Switzerland, as he had to because San Francisco was in his route of travel. Possibly he may have worked a little there during his sojourn—enough to discover that there is nothing there to engage the attention of a true artist of nature—but he pushed on to the only spot of earth where Oregon's wealth of scenery is supplemented by the highest art culture. San Francisco may indeed be proud of him as an American boy, but it is "flat burglary" for her to claim him as one of her children. He is as purely an Oregon production as the golden grain which is shipped from the beautiful valley in which he was reared, and which, like himself, is falsely labeled by the San Francisco papers with the name of California.

Joel Prentice Bishop, a standard law writer, with whose works all members of the profession are familiar, has published a pamphlet setting forth his views of the powers of Congress, and of the President of the Senate, in counting the electoral vote. His position is summed up as follows: "The constitution gives the State legislatures powers to prescribe the manner of appointing electors, and nothing else. The State legislatures cannot go beyond this power; they cannot evade a responsibility. Congress cannot interfere with it. The President of the Senate is the constitutional custodian of the regular and authorized electoral votes. He, and he only, can open the certificates. It is for him to determine which of the lists of votes are regular and authorized, and those he produces as such are to be counted, and none other. As for the count of the votes, the constitution does not provide for the counting to be done by the House alone, or by the Senate alone, or by the two conjointly, or by a committee appointed by one or both houses; nor does it say whether the count shall take place in the Senate or the House. The object of the count in the presence of both houses is simply to preserve the evidence of the number of electoral votes each candidate received. The President of the Senate may announce the vote of each State as he opens the certificate. A summing up of the votes so announced will show which candidates have the highest votes for President and Vice President, and the announcement of that summing up ends the matter. No formal declaration as to who are elected President and Vice President is required by the constitution, and none is necessary. The constitutional provision is self-executing, and was not intended to be subjected to any law, rule or regulation of Congress, or of either branch."

It is not true, says the St. Paul *Pioneer-Press* that the Republican party polled a smaller vote this year in the North than at the previous elections. In every Northern State, except Maine and Vermont, it polled a larger vote than ever before—the entire Republican gain in the North being 337,005 votes. The Republicans even gained in every Southern State except Alabama, Mississippi and Georgia, where they were not permitted to vote to any extent. The Boston *Journal* remarks that "the additional fact that Governor Hayes received 2,176,398 votes more than President Lincoln did in 1860, 1,426,623 more than he did in 1864, 1,039,062 more than Gen. Grant in 1868, and 448,611 more than Grant in 1872, indicates that the Republican party was never so strong as in 1876." But it is also true that the Democratic party polled a much larger vote than ever before, so that it is six of one and half a dozen of the other, so far as vigorous tenacity of life is concerned.

It is stated that the Bishop of Algiers has just become convinced that the oldest church in the Christian world is at Orleansville in his diocese. An inscription copied from the mosaic pavement of the old church of Oppidum Tingittel was shown to him, and he was convinced by the records that the building was erected in the year 323, soon after the conversion of Constantine. The mosaic pavement, the walls to a hight of about six feet, a part of the altar, and the Bishop's seat still remain. All that portion of the original edifice has been covered over and forms a sort of crypt, which is carefully preserved.

One Dr. Bradus, of Greenville, South Carolina, has been devoting himself to the study of Alexander H. Stephens as an historical problem, and has come to the conclusion that the old gentleman is an anachronism. He says "If Stephens had lived in the middle ages, the fact that so frail a man can speak two hours and hold a great audience would have stamped him a saint, preternaturally supported, and with more than human claims to attention and belief."

Judge Duell explains that his retirement from the Patent office has no connection with the irregularities recently discovered in the drafting department of the office. He says he has for some months contemplated entering on the practice of law at New York, and it was his intention long before the discovery of the irregularities to retire on the first of January.

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January 16, 1877. j17d2t

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G. NEIMEYER,
W. H. UTTER.

Portland, January 16, 1877.

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ja[illegible] d&wly

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**TO RENT.**

FURNISHED ROOMS WITH OR WITHOUT board, in a private family. N. W. corner A and Fourth. ja6d1m

**TO RENT.**

THE MARKET BUILDING 40 by 200 FEET ON Madison street, and extending from Front to First streets, can be leased on reasonable terms. For particulars see PARRISH & CONNELL, Real Estate and Loan Agents, corner of Front and Washington streets.

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FIRST CLASS ROOMS TO RENT BY THE DAY or week, with the accommodation of the Parlors. Cor. Front and Ash sts.

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**DURHAM BULLS FOR SALE.**

FIVE REGISTERED FINE DURHAM SHORTHORN BULLS from one to two years old, just imported from Iowa, are now in Portland, and for sale at prices to suit the times. For further information, including examination of pedigree, apply to GEO. COGGAN, at St. Charles Hotel, Portland, Oregon. ja13d1m

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THE BLACKSMITH, WAGON AND PAINT SHOP buildings on the corner of Jefferson and Front streets, are for sale at a very low price, with a favorable lease of the ground to run 1 1/2 years from [illegible] 1877; also wagon, wagons and one [illegible]. Enquire of S. J. MORTIMER, tfel Assignee.

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SHIP MAGENT OF BOSTON, NOW LYING AT Astoria, 930 tons register, 1400 tons capacity, built in South Boston, 1860 of the best material, under French Lloyds inspection. Repaired and classed April, 1876, [illegible] for four years, has two full suits of sails, standing and running rigging in excellent order, and will be found in everything. For further particulars apply to or address Captain R. P. Bowden, Astoria, Oregon. ja6d1m

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BEAUTIFULLY LOCATED CITY LOTS ON easy terms, in Caruthers' Addition, on line of street car railway, at [illegible] and sidewalks [illegible]. Corner lots, $750; inside lots, $600. Terms, one-fourth down, balance on one, two and three years at one per cent. per month. A. [illegible], Portland.
d28 1m

**PROPERTY FOR SALE.**

IN LEWIS COUNTY, W. T., ONE STORE BUILDing, lot and Stock of Goods, hay shed and Stock in Warehouse, at Chehalis Station, N. P. R.R., County Seat of Lewis county; 420 acres of good Wild Bottom Land on Cowlitz river, very light growth of timber, 120 acres of Land 1 1/2 mile north of Chehalis station. For particulars apply or inquire of J. [illegible], Portland, Ogn. or GEO. J. [illegible], Chehalis [illegible] W.

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**A BARGAIN.**

375 ACRES OF GOOD BOTTOM LAND, ALL [illegible] fenced but [illegible] acres, [illegible] Vancouver, and [illegible] navigation on Columbia river. A good dairy, as well as a [illegible] farm. A new [illegible] house [illegible] The sale will include all [illegible] team and [illegible] one of the finest [illegible] on the Columbia river, as well as [illegible] should not fail to apply [illegible] or address C. [illegible]
Portland, Jan. 11, 1877. [illegible]

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Advise your friends to visit the San Francisco Clothing Store, the cheapest store in the City, and best assortment.

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[illegible] Wines & Liquors,
Lunch [illegible]
[illegible]
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**[illegible] & [illegible],**

[illegible]

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**[illegible]**

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[illegible] STAMPS
&c.

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**INSURANCE.**

**North British and [illegible]**

**Fire Insurance Co.**

OF LONDON AND [illegible]

CAPITAL..........
Reserve and Surplus Fund, Jan. 1st, 1876..........

Total..........
Premium Receipts, 1875..........
Losses Paid in United States, 8 years..........

EDWARD [illegible]

OREGON [illegible]

**HOME MUTUAL**

**Fire Insurance [illegible]**

Capital, . . . .
Assets, . . . .
Income, 1875, . . .
Losses paid since organization

HAMILTON [illegible]
MANAGER.
72 First Street, Portland

**[illegible] Insurance C[illegible]**

FIRE AND [illegible]

Capital, (PAID UP [illegible] GOLD [illegible])

Assets, exceed . . .

BRANCH OFFICE [illegible]
First National Bank [illegible]
W. [illegible]

**THE [illegible]**

**[illegible]VES MEN'S & [illegible]**

COMPANY
OF SAN [illegible]

**FIRE AND [illegible]**

Incorporated [illegible]

Cash Assets, . . .

PETER DONAHUE, [illegible]

**R. [illegible] JA[illegible]**

IMPORTER [illegible]

**Commission [illegible]**

AGENTS [illegible]

CURRY [illegible]
SAUCES,
SALAD and [illegible]
[illegible]
SAGO and [illegible]
CORN [illegible]
[illegible]
PIANOS,
PAINTS and [illegible]
CHLORIDE OF [illegible]
WHEAT & OAT [illegible]

**Best Eastern [illegible]**

**Steel and Builders' [illegible]**

MECHANICS' [illegible]

**JOHN B. [illegible]**

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Have just [illegible]
88, 90 and 92 F[illegible]
An Entire New and [illegible]

**TINWARE**

**Metals, Stoves [illegible]**

TINNERS' STOCK [illegible]

Japanned Ware, House [illegible]

Special Orders [illegible]

**J. & P. COATS**

HAVE BEEN AWARDED [illegible] Diploma [illegible] the Centennial [illegible] commended by the Judges for [illegible] "Superior Strength and [illegible] ity of Spool Cotton."

[SEAL.] A. T. GOSHORN, [illegible]
J. R. HAWLEY, [illegible]
ALEX. R. BOTELER, [illegible]

KITTLE & CO., [illegible]
d16d1m2p

**NOTICE.**

COLLECT SCRIP, [illegible] ty, New Orleans and [illegible] due, and Postoffice claims [illegible] cers, soldiers, sailors, [illegible] and their widows and [illegible] title to land and land [illegible] wars before 3d March, 1855, [illegible] ness at Washington. [illegible] scrip and homesteads on land [illegible] and elsewhere. Apply to C. [illegible] for claimants—office Third and [illegible]

**DIVIDEND NOTICE.**

**Home Mutual Insurance [illegible]**

A DIVIDEND HAS BEEN DECLARED [illegible] able at the Office of the [illegible] the city of Portland, on the 10th [illegible]
M. BOND, [illegible]

Portland, Jan. 10, 1876.

**AUCTION! AUCTION!**

W. O'SHEA, Licensed Auctioneer, [illegible] Washington street, bet. [illegible] and Second, Portland, Ogn. has [illegible] Watches, Jewelry, Revolvers [illegible] articles that he will sell at [illegible] auction prices. Persons [illegible] it to their advantage to [illegible] will in future be reduced [illegible] former charges. Business [illegible] ing rates. All transactions [illegible] cellaneous articles of every [illegible] sold. [illegible]

**The Daily Oregonian.**

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JAN. [illegible]

## CITY.

CONTEMPTIBLE AND CRIMINAL.—At [illegible] city seems to be inhabited by one [illegible] in human shape, who take [illegible] the mean and contemptible [illegible] anonymous letters to a num[illegible] able persons containing the [illegible] and unfit language, only show[illegible] depravity of the writer. We are [illegible] steps have been taken to [illegible] guilty party, and the detectives [illegible] no doubt they will be successful [illegible] these wretches, if caught, will [illegible] extent of punishment the [illegible] which is a number of years in [illegible]

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.—Judge Deady [illegible] the decision in this case [illegible] morning, in In re Hellmar and In re [illegible] Blech, upon the exceptions [illegible] fee bills; and also In re [illegible] upon objections to [illegible] E. S. Perkins. Judge [illegible] the decision this morning [illegible] circuit court, in Witherell vs W[illegible] Sullivan vs. Fortaine.

RENOVATING.—The Occidental [illegible] now undergoing a thorough [illegible] and refitting by the proprietors [illegible] having it painted and papered, [illegible] and new carpets put [illegible] weeks the hotel will be in [illegible] This house is now [illegible] run of custom.

[illegible] ARRIVED.—The steamer [illegible] this port last evening [illegible] freight and passengers.

[illegible]

Common Council this evening.

[illegible] "Romeo and Juliet."

Now is the time to clean up your [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] "Romeo and Juliet," [illegible] Mr. Jack [illegible] "Juliet;" Mr. Jack, [illegible] "Friar Lawrence;" Mr. [illegible] by the Bard of Avon, [illegible] We also have the [illegible] that "Rob Roy" and [illegible] are in course of [illegible] produced upon [illegible]

### RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.

A Washington City [illegible] San Francisco *Bulletin* [illegible] Washington Territory [illegible] recommended [illegible] appropriations of [illegible] the Lower Willamette [illegible] $100,000 for the Upper [illegible] He states that Major [illegible] for the permanent [illegible] Willamette and Columbia river [illegible] has been referred to [illegible] for the Pacific coast [illegible] and, without comment, [illegible] Secretary of War for [illegible] the elaborate reports of [illegible] and Michler, of surveys of [illegible] bar; Puyallup river from [illegible] its mouth; for a canal to [illegible] Bay with the Columbia river [illegible] mouth of the Nehalem river—all [illegible] ordered by act of Congress [illegible] view to determining the [illegible] expediency of making the improvement [illegible]

### MILITARY NOTES.

Captain George H. Burton, 21st Infantry, appointed to act as inspector on certain [illegible] and hospital property at Fort [illegible] W. T., for which Surgeon Charles [illegible] post surgeon, is accountable.

Captain James Jackson, 1st cavalry, appointed to act as inspector on certain [illegible] and ordnance stores at Fort Klamath, [illegible] for which 2d Lieutenant Harry L. Bailey, commanding Company F, [illegible] accountable.

Second Lieutenant George S Hoyle, 1st [illegible] appointed to act as inspector [illegible] and ordnance stores [illegible] Oregon, for which Captain [illegible] 1st cavalry, commanding post [illegible] accountable; also on six unserviceable [illegible] at same post; also on certain [illegible] and ordnance stores, quartermaster's [illegible] camp and garrison equipage [illegible]

### THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

TUESDAY, Jan. 16, [illegible]

Geo. A. Webb, assignee, etc., vs P. [illegible] & Sachs; on motion of plaintiff [illegible] entered on the verdict of jury [illegible] sum of $2,219 79 gold coin and costs.

In the matter of Geo. Woodward, [illegible] vs. J. W. White; petition for [illegible] on application of counsel for [illegible] cause is passed until the next meeting [illegible] court.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

**NOTICE.**

To whom it may concern, I will be [illegible] "Occidental Hotel," Portland, on Jan [illegible] 1877, prepared to receipt for [illegible] Washington county.
H. J. MORGA[illegible]
Sheriff Washington Co. [illegible]

## INSURANCE.

**British and Mercantile Fire Insurance Co.,**
LONDON AND EDINBURGH.
AL ........ $10,000,000 00
e and Surplus Fund, n. 1st, 1876 ........ 5,033,411 80
........ $15,033,411 80
um Receipts, 1876 ........ 4,301,068 00
Paid in United States, ears ........ 6,182,783 00
EDWARD HALL, Gen'l Agent, Ankeny's Block, First street.

OREGON BRANCH
ME MUTUAL
Insurance Company
........ $300,000.00
........ $568,547.45
, 1875, ........ $166,904.29
paid since Organization ........ $1,137,867.00
HAMILTON BOYD, MANAGER,
First Street, Portland, Oregon.

UNION
urance Company,
FIRE AND MARINE.
al, (PAID UP IN GOLD COIN,) - $750,000
ts, exceed - $1,000,000
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ock of 11 & 18 ft. Page's make.
Eastern Oars,
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&c., &c., at
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Have just opened at
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A. T. E. BOTELER, Sec. pro. tem.
KITTLE & CO., San Francisco, Agents for Pacific Coast.

NOTICE.
COLLECT SCRIP, INDIAN VOUCHERS, BOUN y, New Orleans and other prize money now Postoffice claims; obtain Pensions for offi ers, sailors, wounded, injured or disease their widows and children; Patents, Caveats o land and land warrants for soldiers in a before 3d March, 1855, and attend to all busi at Washington. Locate timber land, college and homesteads on lands near Portland, Ogn. elsewhere. Apply to C. M. CARTER, attorney claimants—office Third and Main sts., Portland.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
me Mutual Insurance Co
DIVIDEND HAS BEEN DECLARED PAY able at the Office of the Oregon Branch, in city of Portland, on the 10th inst.
H. BOYD, Manager.
j10d&2p
Portland, Jan. 10, 1877.

AUCTION! AUCTION!
O'SHEA, Licensed Pawnbroker, Washington street, between First Second, Portland, Ogn., has first class hes, Jewelry, Revolvers and other that he will sell during the Holidays prices. Persons requiring money will find their advantage to call on him, as his terms in future be reduced to less than one half or charges. Business done at the lowest rates. All transactions strictly private. neous articles of every description bought

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MORNING, JAN. 17 1877

## CITY.

AND CRIMINAL.—At present to be inhabited by one or two human shape, who take delight and contemptible pastime of letters to a number of containing the lowest language, only showing the of the writer. We are glad to have been taken to ferret out and the detectives assure us they will be successful. We if caught, will receive punishment the law im number of years in the pen

COURT.—Judge Deady will session in this court this Hellmur and In re A. I. & the exceptions to the and also In re John A. exceptions to proof of secured Judge Deady will also this morning in the U. Witherell vs Wberg; and Fontaine.

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—The steamer *Ajax* ar evening about 11 o'clock

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and Juliet."
up your streets, 71 company in this
the girls won't have years.
ought to remember the second century.
of the barber. He razor is dull unless he
rain storm has pro in the volume of
have not sworn off can for the other fellows
Burglars made an in the residence of night.
want it used to be" bald-headed discharged the hired
days have elapsed election, and yet the who will be boss at
Capt. Stump for process of con will be completed
invested $300 in a last winter, has ever since he heard of fashion.
has carried on Real Property. by calling on of same.
in 1861, who are talk A few bullets soothing effect.
on the corner of C yester pressure of over the side.

A fair audience greeted beautiful at Oro Fino play yesterday morn the cast or the different members to say the repeti demonstrations The very conclu entertainment. As indi a rare treat remains in this evening. a number of years love story of upon the boards, benefit tendered to actor and clever of the company. the character "Mercutio" and "Romeo," of the company. will be suf assemblage of the English language and impassioned play, Avon, is always ap with tireless the pleasure to an and "Rip Van generation, and will stage.

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Y NOTES.

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COURTS.

COURT—DEADY, J.

TUESDAY, Jan. 16, 1877.

assignee, etc., vs P. Sachs motion of plaintiff, judg verdict of jury for the gold coin and costs.

Geo. Woodward, assignee, White; petition for injunction counsel for assignee, this the next meeting of this

to-morrow at 10 o'clock, A.

NOTICE.

concern, I will be at the Portland, on Jan 22d and receipt for taxes due
H. B. MORGAN,
Washington Co., Ogn.

## CAPTURED—ESCAPED.

THOS. HEFFREN, WHO ESCAPED FROM THE NEVADA PENITENTIARY FIVE YEARS AGO, CAPTURED OVER IN TILLAMOOK COUNTY—HE MANAGES TO GIVE HIS CAPTORS THE SLIP.

About five years ago, a number of the prisoners confined in the State penitentiary at Carson, Nevada, formed a conspiracy to effect their escape. Their plans were well matured, and carried into successful execution. At a given signal the guards were attacked and overpowered, and the escaping prisoners found but little difficulty in getting away. Some resistance was made, and several persons were killed and wounded. By means of this well-planned outbreak, some 27 or 28 prisoners made good their escape.

Seven or eight years ago there was a man living in Portland named Thomas Heffren. This man left the State and went down into Nevada about the year 1869. Soon after he was arrested on a charge of attempting to commit the double crime of murder and robbery at the same time. For these crimes Heffren was tried, convicted and sentenced to the State prison for the period of 30 years. Heffren had not been in the penitentiary long prior to the outbreak among the prisoners, and was one of the prominent and leading spirits in the conspiracy. Nearly three years ago, Chief Lappeus learned of Heffren's whereabouts. He passed through Empire City on foot, and after a brief sojourn walked up the coast to the Siletz reservation, where he stopped two seasons and hired out as a farm hand. Last summer Heffren worked during harvest over at Perrydale, in Polk county. After that he went over to Tillamook county and settled on a piece of land near the coast, and adjoining Sand lake. Here he built a small cabin and subsisted by hunting, trapping and fishing. His exact whereabouts became known to Chief Lappeus over four weeks since, and that officer determined to procure his capture. He wrote at once to Gov. Bradley, of Nevada, detailing the circumstances and desiring a requisition. Gov. Bradley lost no time in complying with the request, and a little over a week ago the necessary papers were received. Officer McCoy, who has on many occasions shown himself to be a cool, careful and discreet man, was detailed without delay to accomplish the difficult task of finding and arresting the fugitive. Heffren was known to be a desperate fellow, and one who would not likely yield up his liberty without resistance.

One week ago last Monday Mr. McCoy left Portland, intent on capturing Heffren. From the time Heffren reached Oregon he was known by the name of Geo. Thompson, alias "Sand Lake" Thompson. On reaching Grand Ronde reservation, McCoy ascertained with definite certainty where his bird roosted, and he proceeded to lay his plans accordingly. From the reservation to the coast the trail led over rough mountains, and could only be reached by tedious stages. McCoy learned next that Heffren was in the habit of leaving his cabin deserted for a week, and even ten days at a time, while he wandered through the mountains and along the coast on his hunting and fishing expeditions. As the fugitive knew McCoy well, and as it would be extremely difficult to reach him without the wary game getting wind of the little scheme on foot, the officer concluded the safer course to pursue was to remain quietly at the reservation, and send two men, who were well acquainted with Heffren. Two persons—Rowe and Graves—both of whom are men of courage, and have had considerable experience in such business, were employed to go over the mountains and capture the fugitive. They were instructed to go over to Heffren's cabin, and if he was not at home to watch until his return, then arrest him and bring him over to the reservation. Knowing the desperate character of the man with whom they had to deal, McCoy charged Rowell and Graves very particularly to exercise all possible vigilance; to secure their prisoner so that there could be no chance of effecting an escape, and to guard him constantly. With these instructions the men started across the mountains, leaving McCoy to await their return. Success crowned their efforts, for they were fortunate enough to find Heffren at his cabin. He was arrested, handcuffed, and tied securely on a horse. Everything progressed satisfactorily until the party had arrived within a very short distance of the reservation. When near the house where McCoy was stopping, Heffren managed to elude the vigilance of his captors and effected an escape. It was night at the time and the darkness was most intense. Both Rowell and Graves were in advance of the prisoner, one leading the horse. Taking advantage of the opportunity afforded, Heffren contrived to slip the handcuffs over his hands, loosen the thongs which bound his legs, and before his captors were aware of his movements he sprang off, and ran into the dense thicket that beset the road on either side. Chase was given, but aided by the palpable darkness and brush, the prisoner made his escape. Search was made next day, but the only trace which could be discovered was the hat of the escaped fugitive. A number of posters offering a reward of $300 for the recapture of Heffren, were distributed by Officer McCoy through that whole country. Several Indians are on the track, besides a number of white men, and it is scarcely probable that he will manage to escape recapture. Chief Lappeus offers a reward of $300 for Heffren's apprehension and delivery into the hands of the officers.

## NOTES FROM THE DALLES.

Under date of the 15th "Nod" sends the following:

Prof. Condon is quite ill.

The weather is agreeable and inviting.

A prospective debating society is announced.

J. C. Atwater, Esq., of Portland, is visiting this city on business.

Flowers are in bloom here, and the residents have commenced making gardens.

A burglary and a dog fight recently are the most thrilling episodes that have relieved the monotony here for a long time.

Last Saturday morning about 2 o'clock, a burglar, while attempting to effect an entrance into the residence of Samuel L. Brooks, on Union and Third streets, was discovered by a policeman who fired upon and wounded him. The burglar fled instantly, closely followed by the "cop," who discovered traces of blood along the line of pursuit, showing conclusively that a serious wound had been inflicted. The burglar was traced to some Indian camps, which were diligently searched, affording no clue, however, to the discovery of the wounded fugitive. Considerable excitement was occasioned by this occurrence; much increased by the futile attempts of officers to apprehend the guilty party. Burglaries are getting common. Three other attempts to burglarize residences were made just the night previous.

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Go to Kohn's for your clothing: corner First and Morrison.

No CURE, No PAY.—Dr. Halpruner is prepared to make contracts to cure CORNS and BUNIONS, or no pay. The doctor guarantees to cure corns, bunions, chilblains, ingrown nails, and all diseases of the feet, in a very reasonable short time, and without causing the slightest pain or discomfort to his patients. Office, No. 5 Alisky & Hegele's building, First street. Office hours 10 to 3.

Mrs. B. A. Owens, M.D., Office and residence, east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to Women and Children complaints. Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths, combined with Electricity, in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

Captains and pilots will note the fact that Peter Wilhelm has fitted up two rooms for their especial use at the Fountain, corner Ash and First streets. English papers on file, and everything cosy.

The Medical Institute of Dr. W. L. Adams, corner of First and Salmon streets, will be removed to Hood river in a few months. Till then chronic diseases of men and women will be treated in Portland as usual. An accomplished lady assistant to give baths to ladies and assist in their treatment always in the office.

If you want a fine ornamented gilt frame, old one to regilt, or to restore an old oil painting, come to Victor Volney, corner Third and Morrison.

I feel as though it was my Christian duty to say a word to suffering women. I have been a poor sufferer myself for 15 years. I tried many eminent physicians East, all to no purpose. On moving to Oregon I was advised by women whom Dr. Adams had cured, to go to Portland and try him myself. I have now been under his treatment but two or three months, and am almost restored to perfect health. I feel as though I wanted other sufferers to try his treatment, which has done me so much good.

MRS. LINDA GOLDSON.

CORVALLIS, Jan. 1, 1877.

## NOTES FROM ALBANY.

Our regular correspondent, under date of Jan. 8th, sends the following:

All the schools in operation this week.

A few cases of diphtheria still in this place.

A large amount of wheat is still going down the river.

Mr. Montgomery, one of our school directors, is sick.

S. Miller is fitting up his new brick building for business.

Hotels appear to be doing well in this part of the country.

Hinton's new drug store, on Main street, is doing a good business.

A very slight fall of snow was visible for a few hours last Sabbath.

The rains have set in again, which are a little unpleasant after so much good weather.

Union religious services at the court house this week, beginning at 7 P. M. each evening.

Hon. Mr. Brown of this place has been confined to his room for some time owing to ill health.

Real estate agents are more encouraged with Oregon's prospect for the next year, and predict great prosperity.

The new mill soon to go into operation on the Calipooia river will furnish this place with the finest style of lumber.

Albany is very healthy at this time. In a population of near 4,000 it is said that there are eleven persons sick, nine children and two adult persons.

The farmers are very busy preparing their ground for a large crop of wheat, and perhaps twice the amount will be put in this year over that of any former season.

Such is the beautiful plateau upon which our city stands, that with its gradual descent to the Willamette river, drainage can be effected easily, and it is to be hoped that our city Fathers will soon consider this subject.

I saw a clock a few days since, in this city, that runs twelve months without winding. The pendulum is unlike anything I ever saw before. It has four brass balls on the end, and instead of vibrating back and forth, it turns first to the right and then to the left, and so continues for a full year without winding the second time.

## OREGON.

The Ashland and Phoenix mills are shipping flour as fast as it can be ground.

Cold weather prevails in Lake county, and some of the streams are covered with a thick layer of ice.

A rich discovery of quartz was made in the Payette valley by R. Ferguson and Alex. Cyphons. No excitement, but great hopes.

A shipment of quartz to San Francisco from the Monumental mine on Granite creek, yielded $437 to the ton of rock. At the mine the rock netted $900.

Judge R. P. Boise overruled the motion to grant W. K. Neil a new trial for the killing of Seth W. Hayes, which was argued before him last week.

John W. Miller and John Scott, tried for robbing the mail at Boise City, were sent up respectively for seven and five years, which gives them time to repent.

B. M. Washburn, as proprietor, and A. E. Isham, as editor, have retired from the Walla Walla *Watchman*, and Chas. Besserer has taken charge of the paper editorially.

The son of Mr. Byers, the proprietor of the Pendleton mills, met with quite a serious accident this week. While trying to capture a piece of iron imbedded in a piece of wood, he drove the iron by some mistake through the left hand. He is now doing well.

Mr. A. J. Sturtevant, of Pendleton, last week, while attempting to draw a ball from a derringer (by accident being on full cock) it went off, sending the bullet into the hand. It ranged upwards and lodged in the forearm, a few inches above the wrist.

About three inches of snow fell in the Waldo Hills last Saturday night, although we had none in the immediate vicinity of Salem. Most of it melted off Sunday, so that it will not interfere with farming operations, but it was rather rough on early lambs that are just beginning to skip about.

## THE TERRITORIES.

J. M. Nelson has been chosen chief of police of Seattle vice R. H. Trumbull, resigned.

Major Conover is now engaged in taking the census of the Indians belonging to the reservation.

All kinds of business meets with a dull period in winter at Olympia, except the wood and bark trade.

The Seattle University building has been offered to the district for a public school house at $20 per month.

The Walla Walla county treasurer's and auditor's books show the sum of $31,253.30 collected, and $7,914.40 returned delinquent, of the county taxes for the year 1876. The amount of money turned over by the ex-treasurer to his successor in office was $20,708.81.

An ounce of quartz from the ledge of McDonough, Kahler, & Co., in the vicinity of Fort Lane, Jackson county, crushed the other day, yielded $1.50. Work is being prosecuted, and a tunnel of twenty feet has already been run through a hard gravel, itself supposed to be rich in gold. This ledge bids fair to becoming one of the richest in the world.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* says: "From all parts of the valley we hear favorable reports of business and trade prospects. The towns of Dayton and Waitsburg are prosperous, and business satisfactory. At Walla Walla our leading merchants report trade better than any former year, and the increase of sales of 1876 fully fifty per cent. over the sales of the previous year. During the last season a large amount of money came into the valley for produce, stock, etc. This money was literally placed where it would do the most good, and the effect has been to stimulate all branches of industry."

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Says Mrs. J. S. Blake, M. D.: Dr. Warner's Health Corset restores the lost developement of bosom. They are constructed on physiological principles.

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Centennial Flasks. Everybody should be supplied with a flask of Centennial Noble Whisky, as a reminder of the Centennial Year. For sale everywhere, and at the sole agents', Millard & Van Schuyver, Portland.

Corsets, size 18 to 38, at Mrs. Warner's.

**Portland Steam Scouring Mills** are again in operation. Blankets scoured, renapped and bleached. Ply and Ingrain Carpets scoured and made clean and bright without changing color. Brussels Carpets threshed by a steam thresher, and spots and every particle of dust taken out. Shawls and table covers cleaned and pressed. Mattresses scoured and replaced. Mills—head of Jefferson st. Leave orders at Powers' Furniture Store or Weeks & Morgan's Grocery Store.

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## THE EASTERN QUESTION.

### The Modified Proposals to the Porte.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—A dispatch from Constantinople says: At to-day's sitting of the conference, the Marquis of Salisbury, in the name of his European colleagues, communicated to the representatives of the Porte the last proposals of the powers whose demands were modified and softened. The division of Bulgaria into two provinces and the restriction of Turkish troops to certain places are not mentioned in the propositions submitted to-day. The previous propositions for an international commission and making appointment of governors of provinces subject to consent of the powers are considerably modified. In addition to concessions the cession of Sewornik to Servia is left in suspense. The proposals for aggrandizement of Montenegro are reduced to limits which the Porte has signified its willingness to accept. Thus all contested points are relinquished by the powers except commission of supervision and appointment of governors, and even these points are much modified. The powers now propose that the appointment of governors of provinces be subjected to their approval only during the next five years and that instead of an international commission, a mixed body composed of Europeans and Turks be established. After making his communication, Lord Salisbury announced that if the Porte did not agree to the proposals now made, he had instructions to quit Constantinople.

Sir Henry Elliott said he had also been instructed in that event, to withdraw and leave the British embassy in the care of a charge d'affaires. All the other European plenipotentiaries in succession, made similar declaration, some of them laying stress on the fact that it was to the Porte's interest to accept the proposals.

Safvet Pasha replied. He expressed regret that the decision of the powers should require him to refer the matter to the Porte before giving a final answer, but he would say he did not think it possible for Turkey to yield upon the commission of supervision and appointment of governors, those proposals which affect the independence of the Porte having already been rejected. The Porte, however, would examine the communication and reply definitely thereto at the next sitting. The conference will reassemble on Thursday, if the Turkish answer is then ready, but it is more than probable that the meeting would not take place until Saturday, and in the meanwhile a grand council of one hundred and eighty, composed of all the great dignitaries of state will meet to decide upon an answer.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—The Berlin correspondent of the *Times* says the reason each plenipotentiary made a separate declaration to the Porte at yesterday's sitting of the committee, was to prevent Russia's future action from being represented as undertaken in behalf of all Europe.

BELGRADE, Jan. 16.—A telegram to the *Times* states that all the Russian wounded are to be sent home immediately. It is evident that there is a breach in the alliance between Russia and Servia. The anti-Russian party, which favors immediate peace with Turkey, is daily gaining ground, and a change of Servian policy, if not of the ministry, is not improbable.

### Condition of the Russian Army.

A Vienna dispatch to the *Times* contains a long review of the condition of the Russian mobilized army, derived from letters of impartial foreign officers who traveled the Russian lines from the Pruth to Odessa, and had ample opportunities of observation. The correspondent says the letters give the decided impression that the Russian army (thanks to the two months' armistice), is in a far better condition than generally supposed, and certainly incomparably fitter to take the field than in any former campaign against Turkey. The principal defect seems to be in vehicles, as those which have been impressed into the service of the army are unsuitable for formation of a military train. It has therefore been decided to form a regular train of eight to nine thousand vehicles, which will require sixty thousand draft animals. Not thirty thousand animals have yet been secured, and thus another month or six weeks must pass before the mobilization of the army can be considered really assured. The Roumanian railways would only aid the Russian advance to the Danube very slightly, in consequence of difference of gauge and paucity of running stock. It would take forty days to carry the whole Russian army and stores to the Danube. The letters show that although the six army corps when first mobilized were considerably below their nominal strength they are now little if anything short of full number, namely 240,000 men. It was first intended that only four corps should operate on the Danube and two others defend the Black Sea coast. Now, however, in consequence of diminution of apprehensions of Turkish attack on the coast and unexpected magnitude of Turkish preparations on the Danube, the two army corps have been added as a reserve to the army operating on the Danube, and other forces moved from the interior for defense of the coast. Advantage has been taken of the armistice to arm all the regiments in the same infantry division with the same kind of guns. Most batteries of artillery have also been supplied with breech-loading cannon. All stores, clothing and accoutrements are now completed, but the ambulance and hospital service is still deficient.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—A special from Vienna to the *Daily News* asserts that the archives of the Russian embassy at Constantinople have arrived at Odessa.

### The Sick Man Takes the Medicine.

PERA, Jan. 16.—The Marquis of Salisbury had an interview with the Sultan, who is disposed to accept all the conditions of the amended scheme submitted to the conference.

### The Peace-makers give it up.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 16.—The several plenipotentiaries have requested an audience with the Sultan for the purpose of taking leave. The grand council of Turkey to decide on the Porte's reply to the last proposals of the powers will meet to-morrow or Thursday.

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### Happy Influence of a Great Specific.

For the preservation or recovery of health and strength, the diet should be wholesome and nutritious. When it happens that the alimentary processes are disturbed by improper or half-masticated food, the best remedy for the evil results of abusing the digestive organs is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a most agreeable, prompt and gentle remedy for dyspepsia, and for the bilious and evacuative irregularities which result from it. The liver and bowels, in common with the stomach, experience its beneficent influences. The refuse of the system is carried off through its natural outlet, a healthy flow and secretion of the bile is promoted, and a powerful impetus is given to assimilation in consequence of its use. It healthfully stimulates the bladder and kidneys when they are inactive, and by its tonic and regulating action fortifies the system against malaria.

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We were pleased to see, not long since, in one of our exchanges, some pretty severe remarks addressed to several persons who, during an interesting lecture by Rev. Jno. S. C. Abbott, kept a continuous coughing, which prevented many from hearing. People who cannot refrain from coughing, had better stay away from such places, or else take a bottle of *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* with them.

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## LOSS OF THE COMMODORE.

The ship *Commodore*, which sailed from San Francisco for Seattle on the 20th of December, has been wrecked and lost. She was off Cape Flattery on the morning of Wednesday, Jan. 10th, when a strong wind from the northwest suddenly sprang up. It increased to a heavy gale, and, being driven close in shore, with the wind blowing her on, Capt. Hastorf was unable to wear out his ship. As a last measure he cut away his masts, and let go his anchors, but the violence of the storm was so great that her bows were pulled out by the strain, and the anchors were left behind. The hull was driven in closer, striking the outer reef and passing over it, striking the middle reef, parting with her keel, and passing over, and striking the inner reef, lodging there, and breaking in two. From this place, the men were got on shore, nothing being saved but the chronometer. They made their way over to Neeah Bay, where the wreck and all pertaining to it were sold by the captain to Mr. Lands for $175. The crew were brought to Port Townsend on a tugboat, where they now are, while Capt. Hastorf, having reported the matter by telegraph, will go below on the *Dakota*. The *Commodore* was a ship of about 1,200 tons measurement, old, and good only for carrying some such cargo as lumber or coal. She was the property of Capt. Samuel Blair, of San Francisco, and Mr. Arthur Phinney of Port Ludlow, who owned her respectively in the proportions of five and three eighths, her value being estimated at about $20,100. Her last trip was made here for coal, and at the time of her loss she was coming for another cargo, the Seattle company having loaded her half a dozen times in the last year.—*Seattle Tribune.*

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[From the Detroit Free Press.]

He was an old man—at least seventy—chilled through by the raw winds sweeping the streets. He had crept to the Central Station to warm himself. The captain gave him a bite to eat, and by and by the old man grew loquacious.

"I expect to die behind the bars," he said, as he looked into the corridor.

"Ever been in prison?" I asked as he resumed his seat.

"Years and years," he answered. "Fact is, I don't feel at home outside of the walls. I was among the first fifty men in the State prison at Jackson, and they've had me there, off and on, for over twenty years."

The old man removed his hat, combed his few gray locks with his fingers and mused: "Lem see? I was sent from Detroit for four years, and that's four. I was sent from Grand Rapids for eight years, and that makes twelve. I was sent from Port Huron for three years, and that's fifteen. I went back for horse stealing long enough to make it twenty-one years, and that's pretty fair for one man, eh?"

I was lost in amazement at his coolness, and pretty soon he said:

"Used to have some exciting times out there. Prisoners were whipped, showered, and tortured, and the life-cells were always full. We knocked over a guard now and then and I've been in some plots to rise and murder all the officials."

"But were always frustrated," I observed.

"Always. When it wasn't one thing it was another. The keepers would be changed, or some of the men would peach, or a new rule would come out that day, and all our plans would be knocked in the head. We had one real good chance to clean out the prison, and it was a singular circumstance that baffled us. If I had a chew of tobacco to keep my mouth moist I'd tell you the yarn."

After rolling the fine-cut under his tongue he went on:

"[illegible] years back. The prison was new, and the management was not what it is now, of course. Somebody was escaping every week or so, and it was easy enough to smuggle in money and tools and cook up conspiracies. There were [illegible] of us, and the wickedest man in [illegible] was a [illegible] and highwayman named Ben Mason. He was in for [illegible] years, I believe, and feeling [illegible] as ugly as Satan. [illegible] in the kitchen as cook, and in those days the prisoners had little or no [illegible] locked up most of the time. Ben [illegible] been in the prison [illegible] he worked up one of the [illegible] you ever heard of. [illegible] and we were [illegible] official, arm as [illegible] down and [illegible]."

The old man paused a moment as the door opened, and then continued:

"[illegible] the details of the plan were communicated to every convict, and every [illegible] was agreed. Ben made a key, [illegible] by which he [illegible] the cells. Only two [illegible] were on duty in the corridor at [illegible]. They [illegible] at one o'clock at night, and [illegible] at that hour that the [illegible] fifteen [illegible] an interval to [illegible]. Well, the programme was for Ben [illegible] to unlock his cell door just before one o'clock. He could easily do that from the inside with the locks then in use. As the old guard [illegible] he was to fly from door to door, let out as many convicts as he had time to, and then overpower the new guards as they came in. This done, all the convicts would be liberated, and we would [illegible] the prison with a rush. [illegible] Thursday night was the date fixed upon, and I tell you there was murder in the air."

He held his hands over his face, as if thinking, and there was a long pause before he said:

"That same Thursday afternoon, when every man [illegible] with expectation, two ladies and a little girl were admitted as visitors. [illegible] that day doing some extra work—something [illegible] into the yard. The ladies [illegible] and there was something about his face [illegible] to attract the little girl. She ran to him, looked up into his face, and innocently asked: '[illegible] a little girl, too?' Now, Ben did have, and her words cut him like a knife. The wee thing grasped his hand to detain him, and holding up a little doll [illegible] carried on her arm, she [illegible] home to your [illegible].' Ben looked [illegible] anything [illegible] could have knocked him down with a straw. Though bold and bad, he was big-hearted, and loved his wife and children.

"Well, sir, he was floored. He turned back [illegible], and I'll be hanged if I didn't see big tears running down his cheeks. At 1 o'clock that night, when he was to let us out and lead the rebellion, he was on his bed hugging that doll and crying like a child, and so our plans were for nothing. I think he was a regular old woman, sir—a regular idiot."

And yet, when I looked into the old man's eyes, he was wiping the tears away.

This is the way the *Pall Mall Gazette* explains the action of the English universities in declining the challenge of Cornell for a four-oar race next August:

When Oxford rowed Harvard in 1869, it was with reluctance, so far as the English oars were concerned. They really grudged the loss of two months of long vacation. They at first refused the challenge, on the ground of not being used to row without coxwains, but being really glad of a relief from the nuisance. When Harvard again challenged to row with coxwains, Oxford's first excuse fell through, and there was nothing to do but to accept and make the best of it. Cornell has subscribed large sums to send its men over, and doubtless will be disappointed at the refusal of its challenge. However, so long as there are regattas in England at which these American crews, if ambitious, can try their mettle, the universities may well decline such contests out of their rowing season. It is most difficult to secure four men who will for such a purpose break up their vacation, and it would not do to send only a scratch crew to row the Americans. If the latter like to come to Henley, no doubt they will be welcomed, and, since there is no imputation against the status of the American University clubs, would be received without any [illegible] amateurs." It then throws out the hint that at minor provincial regattas at Chester, Tewkesbury, Bedford and [illegible] there are silver cups to be had for the rowing. True; but it is not silver ware that American oarsmen are "hankering" after.

The wind blew in a terrific manner Wednesday last week in Grand Ronde valley about the same time it did here. It fairly shook the houses from their foundation at Oro Dell. An ice gorge moved down the Grand Ronde river with irresistible force and took out the dam of Mr. Snodgrass' mill.

## FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

### Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING, Jan. 16 1877.

Gold in New York, 106⅛.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 93; selling 94.

Silver Coin—buying, 94; selling, 95.

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent. premium.

Coin Exchange on San Francisco par.

Gold Bars "25 par.

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium.

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent premium.

The local money market remains in about the same condition noticed before and since the first of the month. The usual settlements that take place after the close of the year are progressing satisfactorily as a rule, though of course there are exceptions and a few find it impossible to make their accounts square, and have been forced to the wall. The business community, however, in a great degree find the result of the year's operations quite as favorable as was anticipated, and the cases of embarrassment are not so frequent as to be actually discouraging to the hope of a gradual improvement in business, and a fair share of prosperity in 1877.

The balance of trade in favor of or against an individual or a nation, discloses relative prosperity or adversity. The statistics for 1876 of the port of New York shows a very gradual improvement of the financial affairs of the United States, in their commercial relations with foreign nations. The following figures show the drift of these affairs during the last three years:

Importations of merchandise at the port of New York:

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| 1874 | $380 365,253 |
| 1875 | 319,067,714 |
| 1876 | 274,495,079 |

Exports of specie from same port:

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| 1874 | $59,510,766 |
| 1875 | 70,479 537 |
| 1876 | 43,573,070 |

Imports of specie at the same port:

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| 1874 | $ 6,251,725 |
| 1875 | 12,740,290 |
| 1876 | 22,931,518 |

The falling off of imports may be owing to a want of ability or credit yet if individual or national wants are supplied the fact is disclosed that home products are patronized either from choice or necessity. In either case the trade and commerce of the country are benefited; for the individual, community or nation that supplies all its own wants will more certainly ultimately become rich and independent than those who trust to a foreign trade.

### Germany's Silver Bullion Movement.

The following, from the last number of the London *Economist*, regarded as of great financial authority in England, and in fact everywhere, touching on the bullion movement and Germany's surplus of silver, will be of interest:

The concern of the present bullion movement centers chiefly in Germany and America. The diminished exports of British goods to the United States are put forth as a reason for regarding a steady and continuous efflux of gold from that market as probable, and the difficulty of employing money here is also operative in the same direction. German requirements of gold are uncertain, a great and decisive step having yet to be taken by that government in order to complete their coinage reform, and the adoption of a purely gold standard of value. This step is the demonetization, or degradation to the rank of token currency as the case may be, of the thaler coins still in circulation as legal tender; and the Government appears to hesitate. It has silver—five or six millions—to sell, but it does not sell it, although the market is now very favorable; and the only inference which can be drawn from that is that the silver is kept for subsidiary coinage, in case the thalers are not withdrawn after all.

### The Wheat Market.

So far during the week has been dull as far as local transactions are concerned. A great deal of talk may be heard as to the probable future of the trade in this cereal, but much of it sounds like guess work, and few seem to have a well defined idea of the conditions which have produced the decline noticed during the past three or four days in the foreign market, and which still continues, according to Liverpool dispatches received to-day. There are now three or four vessels at hand seeking engagement, and those under charter are being rapidly cleared, but still exporters seem to be backward in taking up those offering. The wheat which is now on the market is generally held at $2 at least and upward, and the vessels ask £3 freight. Shippers claim that to clear themselves at £3 for a ship they can pay no more than $1 85 for wheat; so that either holders of grain or ship-owners must recede or business will move on very slowly. The amount yet shipped this season is far below the estimates for the harvest year, nor does it now seem likely that the exports can be made to reach those of last year by nearly half a million bushels. But little is offering in the market at this time, and the feeling of both buyers and holders seems to be a disinclination to operate except under the pressure of necessity. The ships S. G. Reed, City of Dublin and Glencoe, and the bark Vallejo have all finished; and the only vessels now on the berth are the ship Cashmere and the bark Eden with the Japan to load, and the fleet at hand under engagement will have been cleared. The ships Aldueburg, Imperial and Joralfacre are in the river seeking, but their figures are considerable above the ideas of shippers in the present condition of the market at home and abroad.

### Philadelphia Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 16.—Wool in good demand; fine grades scarce and higher; mediums firm and light supply; coarse grades dull and weak. Colorado washed, 18@22c; unwashed, 16@17½; extra and merino pulled, 25@35c; No. 1 and super pulled, 33@38. Texas, fine and medium, 20@25c; coarse, 16@20; California, 17@28c; coarse, 15@25c.

### European Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 16.—Breadstuffs firm; corn, 26s 3d@26s 6d for new mixed western; 27s 3d@27s 6d for old; wheat, 9s 9d@11s for average California white, 11s 1d@11s 5d for club, 10s@10s 1d for red western spring, 10s@10s 1d for red winter. Receipts of wheat last three days, 31,000 quarters; American, 25,000.

### San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.—Produce market, gold prices.

Wheat—Nothing doing in shipping; nominal at $2 10@2 15 for milling; small lots obtainable at $2 20@2 25.

Barley—Quiet and a little easier on account of rain reported in southern counties; feed, $1 30@1 37½; brewing, $1 40@1 45.

Corn—Good, firm at $1 35.

Oats—$2@2 35, as to quality.

Potatoes—Common, 60c@1 05; for best sweet, [illegible]

Gold—105⅞.

Legal tenders—93¾@94½.

Silver—Trade dollars, 100@101; halves 92½@93½.

Liverpool Wheat Market—Ordinary California, 10s 10d@11s; club, 11s 1d@11s 5d.

### Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Ajax from San Francisco arrived at a late hour this evening.

The Br ship Glencoe has cleared for Queenstown with a wheat cargo.

The Br bark Vallejo has cleared for Queenstown with wheat.

The schooner Letitia with a cargo of miscellaneous produce and lumber will sail for San Francisco this week.

The barkentine Tam O'Shanter with a cargo of merchandise from San Francisco is in the river and will reach her berth to-morrow.

The Br bark Cashmere is loading at the foot of D street.

The Br bark Japan now at Astoria will come to this port and load wheat.

The ship Frankfort Hall at Astoria has been ordered away in ballast; destination not reported.

The Am ship S. G. Reed is at Astoria and will clear in a day or two. She loads principally with flour.

The bark Mattie Macleay sailed from Honolulu for this port Dec. 27th, with the following cargo, valued at $10,253: Molasses, 11,186 gals; sugar, 50,226 lbs; rice, 75,000 lbs.; peanuts, 6,920 lbs.

### EXPORTS.

Per barkentine Jane A. Falkinburg, dispatched to Honolulu Jan. 10th, by Allen & Lewis: 4 cases hams, 100 bxs apples, 208 sks oats, 327 sks bran, 97 bbls and 255 hf bbls salmon, 4 cs bacon, 1 pkg fruit trees, 91 cords stave bolts, and 73,607 feet lumber. Value of cargo, $4,700.

Per Br bk Vallejo, to Cork for orders, dispatched Jan. 13th by Allen & Lewis: 23,969 centals wheat, valued at $50 825.

Per Br ship Glencoe, dispatched to Queenstown for orders Jan. 15th by Corbitt & Macleay: 23,520 centals wheat, valued at $49,980.

Per schr Letitia, to San Francisco, dispatched by Capt. Morgan, agent, Jan. 16th: 2,252 sks flax seed, 1,579 sks oats, 68 pkgs tallow, 10 pkgs hoop poles, 291 sks middlings, 500 bxs dried apples, 16 cs glassware, 18 cs furniture, 776 green hides, 6 bdls sheep skins, 112 dry hides, 22 elk hides, 4 bdls deer skins, 11 bdls kip skins, and 60,000 ft lumber.

### Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—Market unsteady at $2 00@2 05 per cental; transactions a little off.

FLOUR—Quotable, best brands, $6@6 25 ⅌ bbl.; good outside and country brands, $5 50@6 00; fine and superfine, $4 75@5 00.

OATS—Best quality 65@70; fair 62½@65; inferior and black 52½@57½c per bushel.

POTATOES—Market well supplied at 35@45c per bushel.

ONIONS—As to quality, $1 25@1 50 ⅌ 100 lbs.

HAY—Choice timothy, baled, $17@18; loose, $14@15.

LARD—Oregon made, fresh, in tins, 14@15c ⅌ lb; in kegs, 14c.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 4@5c; pitless, 14c ⅌ lb.

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 6c, kegs 7c ⅌ lb.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid, 18@20c ⅌ lb; brine, 22@25c; roll, 30c; fancy dairy, 30@35c; cheese, quotable at 15@16c ⅌ lb. Market dull.

BACON—Market weaker; at 14@15c for sides 14@16c for hams, and 10c for shoulders.

CHICKENS—Have been coming in very plentifully, quotable at $3@3 50.

EGGS—Quotable at 20@25 cts per dozen.

FRESH MEATS—Beef, dressed, 4@5c ⅌ lb: on foot, 1½c; dressed hogs, 6@7c ⅌ lb; mutton sheep $2@2 50 ⅌ head.

BARLEY—Choice brewing, $1 20@1 25; feed, $1 15@1 20 ⅌ cwt.

MILL FEED—Bran, $16@18 ⅌ ton; shorts, $25 00; chop, middlings, etc., $30; oil cake meal, $37 50.

HOPS—Quotable at 17@18c.

HIDES AND FURS—We quote best selected hides at 15c ⅌ lb; culls, ⅓ off; green, salted, 6c; elk, 10@12c ⅌ lb; deer, 16@25c ⅌ lb for dried, and 50@75c each, green; mink skins, $1 50 each; otter, $1@5 each; beaver, 75@$1.

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### School Taxes for 1876.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE LAW FOR THE collection of School Taxes passed by the last Legislature does not take effect until the 20th instant, Taxes will be received up to that time, and all taxes remaining unpaid at that date will be returned to the County Clerk as delinquent, who is commanded by the law to attach his warrant to said delinquent list commanding the Sheriff to collect the same. All that want to save costs will come up and pay.

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### NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In Bankruptcy. In the matter of Charles F. Gay, bankrupt. District of Oregon, ss. This is to give notice that on the 12th day of January, 1877, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of Charles F. Gay, of the county of Linn, in said District, who has been duly adjudged a bankrupt upon petition of his creditors, that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at Portland, in said District, on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1877, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the office of H. H. Northup, Room No. 8 in Dekum's Building, Register in Bankruptcy of said District.

ABNER W. WATERS, U. S. Marshal for said District.

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Passengers for San Francisco via Victoria will leave Portland per Steamer "Welcome," on

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## PORTLAND CITY DIRECTORY For 1877.

IN PRESS, AND WILL BE PUBLISHED ON or about JANUARY 1, 1877, the

PORTLAND CITY DIRECTORY for 1877,

Embracing a General Directory of Residents; a Directory of East Portland; together with a Business Directory and other Statistics relative to the Progress and Present Condition of the city.

This being the FIFTEENTH ANNUAL ISSUE of the above work, the Publisher will spare no expense to render it FULLY RELIABLE and ACCURATE, his sole aim being to make the DIRECTORY useful to every citizen in Portland as a faithful annual index of the commercial condition of the city.

The CANVASSING for NAMES in this city and East Portland will be entrusted to reliable parties so as to ensure correctness in every detail.

Mr. A. BUSHWILLER will solicit for Advertisements, and the Publisher hopes that the same patronage may be extended to the contemplated issue that has been received during the past fourteen years.

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F. CHAPPELLET.

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 22, 1876. dlC 3m

## RAILROADS.

## Oregon & California R. R. C

[illegible]

To Take Effect Sunday, Sept. 17, 1876, at 12 o'clock Noon.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY),

as follows:

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

| LEAVE | | ARRIVE | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 7:30 A. | Roseburg | 7:00 P. M. |
| Roseburg | 5:00 A. | Portland | 4: P. M. |

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)

as follows:

| LEAVE | | ARRIVE | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 3:50 | Albany | 9:05 P. M. |
| Albany | 5:20 | Portland | 10:05 A. M. |

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

| LEAVE | | ARRIVE | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | A. M. | Junction | 4:00 P. M. |
| Junction | | Portland | 6:15 P. M. |

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains.

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company.

☞ Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office,

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Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

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A. BRANDT, Jr., Gen'l Sup't.

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## Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION.

[illegible]

KALAMA TO TACOMA.

DAILY, SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.

| LEAVE | | ARRIVE | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Kalama | 11: A. | Tacoma | 30 P. M. |
| Tacoma | 6 A. M. | Kalama | P. |

CONNECTIONS.

At Kalama with O. S. N. Co.'s Boats for all points on Columbia river.

At Tenino with [illegible] for Olympia.

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J. W. SPRAGUE, General Superintendent.

H. W. FAIRWEATHER, [illegible]

## CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

### College Street.

NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. [illegible] for the improvement of College street, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. [illegible], upon each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of College street lying between Seventh and Third streets as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

| Block. | Lot. | Owner. | Amount. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 197 | [illegible] | Fanny [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 197 | [illegible] | A [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 193 | 7 and [illegible] | W T [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 193 | 1 and [illegible] | M Lyons | [illegible] |
| 158 | 7 and [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 158 | 1 and [illegible] | G W [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 139 | 1 and [illegible] | Mrs A M [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 135 | 7 and [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| | | | $164 40 |

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Jan. 6, 1877.

### Madison Street.

NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. [illegible] for the improvement of Madison street [illegible] provided by Ordinance No. [illegible] upon each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of Madison street lying between [illegible] street, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

| Block. | Lot. | Owner. | Amount. |
|---|---|---|---|
| [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 164 | 1, [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 167 | 5 and [illegible] | C Percy | [illegible] |
| 167 | W [illegible] of N [illegible] and W [illegible] | S Weland | 10 [illegible] |
| 167 | [illegible] | V P Deloney | 10 [illegible] |
| 167 | W [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] Macy | 10 [illegible] |
| 56 | 7 and [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| | | | $119 [illegible] |

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Jan. 6, 1877. ja6d10t

### Yamhill Street.

NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. [illegible] for the improvement of Yamhill street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. [illegible] on each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of Yamhill street lying [illegible] the west side of Twelfth and the west side of [illegible] street, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

| Block. | Lot. | Owner. | Amount. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 210 | [illegible] | G W [illegible] | 8 66 |
| 210 | 5 and 6 | Anna [illegible] | 19 44 |
| 217 | 3 and [illegible] | [illegible] Corbett | 14 [illegible] |
| 217 | 5 and 6 | S Schenck | 95 91 |
| 232 | 3 and [illegible] | [illegible] O'Hara | [illegible] 59 |
| 300 | 1, 7, [illegible] | Wesley [illegible] | [illegible] 04 |
| 318 | 1, 2 7 and [illegible] | Donald Macleay | [illegible] 01 |
| 325 | 1 and 2 | [illegible] Morgan | [illegible] 32 |
| " | W ½ 7 and 8 | [illegible] Canaday | [illegible] 42 |
| " | E ½ 7 and 8 | [illegible] | [illegible] 19 |
| 331 | 1 and [illegible] | J Cavanaugh | 26 75 |
| | | | $665 58 |

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Jan. 6, 1877. ja6d10t

### Columbia Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASsessment made by Ordinance No. [illegible] for the improvement of Columbia street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 818, on each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of Columbia street lying between West Park street and Front street, as well as those lands liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer, in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

| Block. | Lot. | Owner. | Amount. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Park 11 | | City of Portland | $27 12 |
| 204 | 1 & 2, E ½ 7 & 3 | Est of I A Davenport | 99 31 |
| " | W ½ 7 and 8 | A R [illegible] | 14 58 |
| 186 | 2, 7 and [illegible] | W S [illegible] | 46 98 |
| 185 | W 56½ ft 8 ½ | V P [illegible] | 1 60 |
| " | E [illegible] ft 7 & [illegible] | I Fine | 6 41 |
| " | W 53½ ft N ½ [illegible] | Mary E Tracy | 6 36 |
| 128 | 1 and [illegible] | [illegible] | 20 54 |
| 115 | [illegible] | [illegible] Waltaker | 11 25 |
| " | [illegible] | [illegible] Nevin | 9 09 |
| | | | $154 51 |

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Jan. 6, 1877. ja6d10t

### Street Improvements.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the city of Portland propose to improve the following streets in the following manner:

Clay street, from the center of Seventh to the east line of High [illegible], grading, laying sidewalks and crosswalks where necessary.

Yamhill street, from the center of First to the center of Eleventh, putting in box and intersection gutters, and all necessary grading therefor, the space between intersection gutters and crosswalks to be covered with plank, also by raising and relaying crosswalks where necessary.

The intersection of Montgomery and First streets by putting in a box sewer and raising the roadway to grade and the necessary work therefor.

The intersection of Washington and Tenth streets, by putting in box gutters, the necessary filling to be done with broken stone, and by raising and relaying crosswalks if necessary.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Jan. 6, 1877. ja6d10t

### Hall Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 1376, for the improvement of Hall street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 1359, on each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that portion of said street lying between Third street and Fourth street, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer, in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

| Block. | Lot. | Owner. | Amount. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 14. | 4. | S Johnson | $35 05 |
| 14. | 5. | V Lair Hill | 35 65 |
| | | | $70 70 |

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Jan. 4, 1877. ja6d10t

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To the [illegible]

[illegible]

Nervous and [illegible]

DR. [illegible]

ESSENCE [illegible]

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Fire.

STILLWATER, Minn., Jan. 17.—A [illegible] evening destroyed Davis & [illegible] mill with stock; loss, $45,000; [illegible]

[illegible], Wis., Jan. 17.—The [illegible] Manufacturing Co.'s [illegible] $10,000; insurance, $10,000.

[illegible], Jan. 17.—The Revere House burned this morning. Loss $[illegible];

Burned to Death.

St. Louis, Jan. 16.—A Globe-Democrat [illegible] Kansas City says three [illegible] belonging to a German living in [illegible] county, were burned to death yesterday. [illegible]